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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 2

Part B for January 1926

SUBJECT

Submits a revised estimate for Rs 9460 for the construction of an ornamental Vasanta mantap in the compound of the Sri Saikanteswara Swami temple at Nanjangud.

G. O. No 927-9

To the Muz. Commr.

Dated 26.1.26.

u Ch. Secy.

u Comptroller

Selections As per the
report of progress of work may be
submitted to Govt. for information
till it is completed.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(Muz)

NOTES.

File No. 1524-26

FILE HEADING.

Revised estimate for constructing an ornamental
Vasanta mantap in the compound of the Sri Srikanthes
"waraswami temple at Nanjangud -

FROM

The Muz. Comm. in Mysore.

No. C. 831 of 23-4 Dated 14-12-25

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BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Submits ^{a revised} ~~for sanction~~ an estimate for Rs ⁴⁴⁶⁰ ~~4722-0-0~~ for
the construction of an ornamental vasanta mantap
in the compound of the Sri Srikantheswaraswami temple
at Nanjangud and states that the estimate may be sanctioned
for Rs 8581, the labatl, tools & Plant charges being waived -

NOTES AND ORDERS.

The 1st estimate for the work was sanctioned for Rs 1981
in G.O. No 2539-41/Muz 144-07-11 & 30-6-13. A revised
estimate for Rs 2430 was sanctioned in G.O. No 1937 41/
Muz 369-14-2 & 9-3-15. A 2nd revised estimate for
Rs 4700, providing for ornamental incense not

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provided for in the previous estimate, was sanctioned in G.O. No. 251-3/Muz 570-15 of 21-7-16. Rs 2430 out of the estimate amount was directed to be met out of the temple amount funds placed at the disposal of the P.W. D and the balance of Rs 2270 from the State Grant for 1916-17.

2. An account of additional rates payable to the contractor and addl works considered necessary, a 3rd revised estimate for Rs 6672 was sanctioned in G.O. No. 15-17 Muz 719-18 2 of 3-7-19 and the extra cost of Rs 1972 was directed to be met from the funds at the credit of the temple.

3. The estimate was further revised by the Ex: Engrs in Augt 1923 to Rs 9722-0-0 for the following reasons:-

- 1) The higher rates tendered by the contractors for certain works
- 2) The deviations from the sanctioned designs and estimate, as per instructions from the inspecting officers
- 3) Fluctuations in market, which demanded a higher rate, for the works remaining to be done
- 4) The higher rate at which the rolled steel joists required for the work, were bought by the Deptt.

4. As the addl cost could not be met from the temple then, the Dhamadarsis

② The abstract estimate as well as the detailed one sent by the P.W.D has been cut down to Rs 7460-
Deducting Establ, Tools & Plant charges amounting to Rs 879, the balance will be Rs 8581-

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were of opinion that the work might be dropped, which was accordingly done ^{was by the}

5. The Muz: Commr, after ascertaining that an outlay of Rs 4606 7 9 had already been incurred over the work, got the Dharmadarsis to agree to the revised estimate, in view of the expenditure already incurred and, accordingly, subd for sanction the revised estimate for Rs 8581, deducting the cost of Tools & Plant charges amounting to Rs 879 from the estimate for Rs ~~7702~~ ⁹⁵⁵¹

sent by the P.W. D. as the part of the estimate amount to met from the State Grant for 1916-17.

6. The extra cost of Rs 1909 is proposed to be met from the funds at the credit of the institution. - In Muz: file 307-24 about the re-building of the Nanjangud car, the M.C reported that there was a sum of Rs 14,717-11 9 at the credit of the temple on 30 6-25, according to Comptroller's books. - If out of this amount Rs 9000 is taken for the car, the balance left will be Rs 5717 and the addl cost of Rs 1909 on account of the Vasantha Manthap may be met from it.

7. If necessary, it will be ascertained what the amount at credit of the house is.

8. Subd for orders as to whether the for Rs 8581 may be saved? -

sd ^{sd} 17 12 35 ^{sd} 18/12/35 The estimate

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10 The My Commis recommendation may be of
of the Chief Insp. is opposite to the waiving of
the emphy charge. as proposed. The previous 82860 to
(181 member) cancelled.

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11 2.1 The waiving of Establishment charges
promissory under the Rules in force (as last
revised) is to be treated as a
special case. - 9

12 (2) It is very unsatisfactory & not creditable
to the Govt that there were in estimate for
which was given sanction in 1912 & still
dropping on. It is expected that there will
be no further revision of the estimate from
that the ~~present~~ estimate was in accordance
with the revised estimate now sanctioned will be
completed before the end of the current
year)

13 It should be noted that a large
money is the credit of the work to meet the
cost of the work

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14. Under the rules in force as last
revised i.e. under G.O. No. 1629-33/14:128-238
885.24, estimates sanctioned wholly or
partly from State funds are excepted
from Tools, Plant & other charges. In this
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Can it will be found from G.O's No:
257-3/Mar 570-15.2 of 21.7.16 and
15-17/Mar 719-18.2 of 3.7.19 that a
sum of Rs 2270 was sanctioned for this work
from the State Grant of 1916-17 and the
rest Rs 4402 was given from the funds
of this temple. So under the orders in
force as last revised, this work is
exempt from the levy of works & plant
charges, and it is perhaps unnecessary
to consult the Chief Engr. in the matter
except that the waiving of the charge
in question will have retrospective
effect. The estimate now to be sanctioned
including the works & plant charges is
for Rs 8587, the extra charge of 1909 Rs
over the previous estimate of Rs 6672
being met from the funds of the temple.

15 In another case viz the reconstruction
of the temple was now entrusted to Mr.
Shankar Singh of Chidambaram.
The amt at the credit of the temple
was said to be Rs 14717, and the
extra expre now proposed can be
borne from the temple funds.

[Signature]

6.1.26 16. Ref:- 1st Member's minute
(paras 11 & 13 above).

17.2.26 17.2.26 Rev. Secy.

17.2.26 17.2.26 1st member
approved

[Signature]
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It is for consideration of

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18. Draft, as per orders, is put up-

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19) For approval of the draft.

Rev. Secy.

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20) 18th meeting

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21) 17/1

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22) 18/1

2. To. muez Commr., Comptroller & Ch Engr.

No 927-9 & 26.1.26.

Sanctions the estimate for Rs 8,581 for the work, the Estt. Tools & Plant Charges of Rs 879 being waived, the excess expre of Rs 1909 being met from the temple funds & cancels the estimate for Rs 6,672 & calls for proper reports on the work.

No 930 & 26.1.26. Forwards copy of the above to the Muzar Secy.

No. 28315723-4 Office of the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

3 files & 7 encls. Dated Mangalore, 11th December 1925. 74

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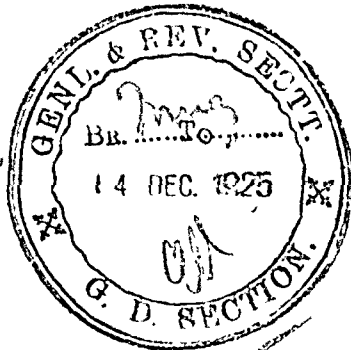
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J. S. Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,

Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,

Mangalore.

Muz B No 690
Muz 54-25-1



B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Revenue Department.

Sir,

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Adverting to Government Pro.No.15-17/M.F.719-13-2 dated 3rd July 1919 sanctioning a revised estimate for Rs.4700-0-0 for ---- constructing an ornamental vasanta mantap in the compound of the Sri Srikanteswaraswami temple at Nanjangud, I have the honor to -- to forward herewith copy of letter No.C.125 dated 24th November 1925 together with its enclosures from the Chief Engineer of Mysore ---- forwarding duly ~~xx~~ scrutinized a re-revised estimate for Rs.9400-0-0 in respect of the above work and to state as follows.

2. The original estimate for Rs.1931-0-0 was sanctioned in ---- Government Order No.2539-41/M.F.144-07-11 dated 30th June 1913 and since then the estimate was twice revised and finally an estimate - for Rs.6672/- was sanctioned in Government Order of the 3rd July --- 1919,. In the course of his inspection of the temple during May - 1921, Mr. Jayarama Iyer, the then Muzrai Superintendent having --- observed that no progress had been made in the execution of the -- work, an enquiry was made of the Chief Engineer who in reply stated that the work was going on fairly well and that the Executive ----- Engineer has been requested to hurry it on. While the matter stood thus, a further revision of the estimate seems to have been ----- necessitated for reasons explained in the Executive Engineer's -- .. report dated 22nd August 1923 and an estimate for Rs.9720-0-0 was accordingly got up. This estimate having been referred to the --- temple Dharmadarsis, they were of opinion that it could not be ---

be accepted on the ground that temple funds did not admit of this heavy expenditure and that the work might be dropped for the present. Thereupon the Deputy Commissioner informed the Chief Engineer that it did not seem feasible to recommend the estimate for sanction.

3. It was thereafter pointed out to the Deputy Commissioner in this office letter of the 31st May 1924 (copy enclosed) that owing regard to the circumstances under which the work was --- estimated for and sanctioned, the matter required further ----- consideration and that if the work was not pushed to its ----- completion the amount spent on it would be wasted. The Deputy Commissioner was requested to obtain the views of the Huzur -- Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja in the matter. In his letter of the 10th December 1924 the Deputy Commissioner reported that "the Dharmadarsis of the temple on being explained of the situation and the points referred to in this office letter of the 7th May 1924, changed their original opinion and agreed to the execution of the work as per re-revised estimate prepared by the Public Works Department. The Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja also intimated that the construction of the mantap might be proceeded with (vide copies of letter dated 25- and 14-7-25 from the Deputy Commissioner.)

4. In the circumstances explained above and also of the fact that an outlay of Rs.4600-7-9 has been already incurred on the work (vide letter dated 20-12-24 from the Deputy Commissioner) I am of opinion that the work can no longer be deferred and that it is necessary to accord sanction to the revised estimate. I beg therefore to recommend that as a portion of the estimated cost of construction from State funds and as the work is of a special nature, the Establishment, Tools and Plant charges --- amounting to Rs.670-0-0 may be waived and the estimate sanctioned for a sum of Rs.9531-0-0 the excess over the previous estimate,

VIZ.

P.T.O.

estimate viz., Rs.1909/- being met from funds at the credit of the
Institution.

The favour of early orders is solicited.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

[Signature]

for Muzrai Commissioner.

(Absent on Tour)

KSR.

Letter No.C.831/23-24 dated 31st May 1924 from the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore to the Deputy Commissioner ~~xxxx~~ Mysore - District.

"With reference to your letter D₂ Dis.No.126 of 23-24 dated 12th May 1924 forwarding copy of a letter addressed to the Chief Engineer of Mysore in the matter of the construction of the Vasantha Mantapa in the temple of Sri Srikanteswaraswami at Nanjungud, I have the honor to state that the matter requires further consideration in view of the circumstances under which the work was estimated for and sanctioned. The original estimate for Rs.1931 was sanctioned in Government Order No.2539-41/M.F. 144-07-11 dated 30-6-1913 and since then the estimate was twice revised and finally a ~~xxxx~~ re-revised estimate for Rs.4700/- was sanctioned in G.O.No.251-53/M.F.570-70-15-2 dated 21-7-16, a moiety of the cost, viz., Rs.2270-0-0 being ordered to be met from the State Grant for the year 1916-17. The matter is therefore pending for over 10 years. When an enquiry was made of the Chief Engineer in July 1921 by the late Muzrai Superintendent, the former reported in his letter no.B.42 dated 2-7-21 that the work in the construction of the mantap was going on fairly well and that the Executive Engineer had been asked to hurry it on. Thus there is reason to believe that a considerable portion of the estimated cost which was ordered to be placed at the disposal of the Public Works Department must have been spent in collecting material etc., If the work is abandoned at this stage, the amount will have been spent in vain. This aspect of the question does not seem to have been considered by the Dharmadarsis. Definite information may be obtained from the Executive Engineer as to the amount actually spent up to-date and the balance remaining in the hands of the Public Works Department. I request that the information on the above points may be obtained and furnished to me early.

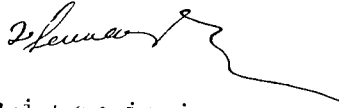
2. As the sanction for the reconstruction of the mantap accorded in the Government Order of 21st July 1916 was also communicated to Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja by the late Muzrai Secretary, I request that his views in the matter may be ascertained and communicated.

3. The cash balance at the credit of this institution was ----

Comptroller's Office.

4. In view of the long delay that has already occurred, the necessity for prompt action is indicated.

"C o p y"

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "J. S. S. S.", followed by a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Muzrai Commissioner.

KSR.

Letter No.U.125 dated 24th November 1925 from the Chief --
engineer of Mysore to the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"vasantha Mantap at Nanjangud.

"As desired in your letter No.C.831 of 23-24 dated the 7th -
October 1925, I have the honor to return herewith duly scrutinised,
the revised estimate for the construction of the vasantha mantap --
within the temple of Sri Srikanteswaraswami temple at Nanjangud.

2. The amount as checked by this office reduces itself to -----
Rs.9,460 from Rs.9,722 as submitted by the Executive Engineer, The
difference is due to the provision against contingencies being ----
reduced from Rs.410 to 179 for contingencies are allowed only portion
of work yet to be worked out.

3. The estimate according to the instructions contained in para
3 (3) of 2170-80/Muz.552-21-4 dated the 30th January 1923 will have
to be submitted to Government through this office.

4. The previous estimate already sanctioned may be kindly got -

cancelled

cancelled while recommending the present revised estimate for sanction.

"C o p y"

E. Kumar

for Muzrai Commissioner.

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KSR.

Letter No.C.818/23-24 dated 10th December 1924 from the -
Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District to the Muzrai Commissioner
in Mysore.

"With reference to your letter No.C.831/23-24 dated 31st -
May 1924 re the construction of the vasantha mantap in the Temple
of the Sri Srikanteswara Swamy at Nanjangud, I have the honor to
state that the Diarmadarsis of the Temple on being explained of
the situation and the points referred to in your letter under reply
changed their original opinion and agreed to the execution of the
work as per re-revised estimate prepared by the P.W.authorities.

The Muzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja has been
addressed on the subject with a view to ascertain his views in the
matter, as indicated in your letter and his reply is awaited. On
hearing from him the final report will be sent up.

The Executive Engineer who was requested to furnish definite
information as to the amount actually spent up-to-date and the --
balance remaining in the hands of the public works Department etc.,
has not yet done so inspite of reminders sent. He is being written
to again today, in the matter."

"C o p y"



for Muzrai Commissioner.

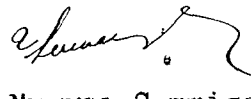
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Letter No.C.818/23-24 dated 20th December 1924
from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District to the
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"In continuation of this office letter No.C.818/
23-24 dated 8/12th December 1924, I have the honor to
state that the Executive Engineer, Mysore Division, --
intimates in his letter No.182 dated 12-12-24 that out
of the contribution amount of Rs.4700/- placed at the
disposal of the public works Department in connection
with the construction of the Vasanta Mantap at Nanjangud
an outlay of Rs.4606-7-9 has been incurred up to date
on this work, leaving a balance of Rs.93-8-3."

"C o p y"


for Muzrai Commissioner.

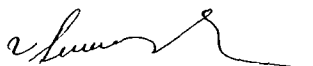
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Letter No.3467 dated 18/20th April 1925 from the
Huzur Secretary to H.H.the maharaja of Mysore to the -
Deputy Commissioner Mysore District.

"Adverting again to your letter no.818/23-24 dated
the 28th January 1925 regarding repairs to Vasanta mantap
attached to Sri Srikanteswaraswamy temple at Nanjanad,
I have the honor to state that a reply will be furnished
after His Highness' return to the capital."

"C o p y".



for Muzrai Commissioner.

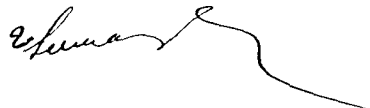
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Letter No.818/23-24 dated 25th April 1925 from
the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District to the Muzrai
Commissioner in Mysore.

"In continuation of this office letter No.C.818/
23 dated 11th February 1925 in the matter of repairing
the Vasantha Mantap attached to the Sri Jrikanteswara
swamy Temple at Nanjangud, I have the honor to forward
herewith copy of Huzur Secretary's letter No.3467 dated
13/20th April 1925 stating that a reply will be furnished
after His Highness' return to the Capital."

"C o p y"



for Muzrai Commissioner.
/s/

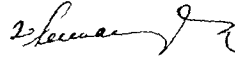
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Letter No.U.818/23-24 dated 13/14th July 1925
from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District to the
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore.

"In continuation of this office letter No.U.818/
23-24 dated 25th April 1925, I have the honor to state -
that the Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja of
Mysore informs me in his letter No.132 dated 8/10th ---
July 1925 that the construction of the vasanta Mantap of
the Sri Srikanteswaraswami temple at Nanjangud, may be
proceeded with.

I request that sanction of Government may kindly
be obtained to the revised estimate."

"C o p y"



for Muzrai Commissioner.

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KSR.

SUBJECT.....

Diary No. of letter replied to.... 6 J.C.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Signed by....

H. V.

Proceedings of the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read— Report orders ending with
No 15-17/Muz 719-18 2 3-7-11.
sanctioning a 3rd revised esti-
mate for Rs 6672 for the con-
struction of an ornamental
versantamunthafa in the
compound of the Srikanth
Anaraswami temple at Nan-
janagud.

Order Thereon No

2) The no. of 331 of 23-24

§ 14-12-20 from the Mysore
Comm in Mysore submitting
a copy of letter no. 12584
No 25, together with enclosure

May this be

- i Printed ?
- ii treated as a standing order ?
- iii published in the Gazette,
English Part ?
- iv translated ?
- v placed at the disposal of the press ?
- vi published in the Gazette,
Kannada Part ?

from which the order of

warden, Punjab

sent used a re-revised

estimate for Rs 9460 in

of the above work;

and recommending, for reasons

stated, that as the estimate

may be saved for Rs 8581,

the cost of tools and plant

amounting to Rs 87.9

charges, being waived as a

portion of the estimated

cost of construction has

been met from the State

Fund and as the work is also

of a special nature, the

excess of Rs 1709 over the

present provision to being

met from the credit of the

order No. 27-2 dated 26/1/26

It is reported by the

that while the work was

in progress according to the

last sanctioned estimate

List of enclosures.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE
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(Continuation sheet draft form.)

the Executive Engineer sent up on August 23 a further revised estimate for Rs 9722 and that the temple Dharmadarsis, to whom it was referred having been ~~to~~ ^{to} were of opinion that it could not be accepted on the ground that temple funds did not admit of this heavy expenditure, ~~and~~ the work was for the time ~~being~~ ^{being} indefinitely ~~dropped~~ ^{suspended}.

2. In view, however, of ~~and~~ ^{and} the fact that an outlay of Rs 4606-7-9 had already been incurred on the work, the Dharmadarsis, ~~to whom the situation was explained,~~ ^{are stated to} have ^{since} agreed to the execution of the work, as per ^{former} revised estimate prepared by the P.W. D., and that the Municipal Secretary to W. B. is also stated

to have signified his
consent to the ~~execution~~
~~of the~~ work being completed,
as per revised estimate.

3. In the circumstances,
~~explained~~, Govt are pleased
to sanction the revised
estimate for Rs 8581, the
estab^l, tools and plant
charges amounting to Rs 879
being waived for reasons
explained in the preamble
and the excess of Rs 1909
over the previous estimate
being met from the funds
at the credit of the temple.

4. It is very unsatisfactory
that this work, the estimate
for which was first sanctioned
in 1913, is still dragging on.
It is hoped that there will
be no further revision of
the estimate again and
that the work in accordance

GENERAL AND REVENUE
SECRETARIAT.

(Continuation sheet draft form.)

N^o 5, The estimate for
Rs 6692 is cancelled.

with the revised estimate
now sanctioned will be
completed before the end
of the current year. A
drawing up of the revised estimate
quarterly progress report
since he obtained the estimate
may be sent up for the infor-
mation of Govt. in the
work is completed.

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Secretary,
Rev. Deptt
12/11/20

The Mys. Court in Mysore
with the sanctioned estimate
and other enclos.

" to Chief Engineer of
Mysore

" Comptroller to Govt.

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12/11/20
Memo No. 12/11/20
Copy to Mys. Secretary,

in the Comptroller's

**ABSTRACT OF ESTIMATE FOR
rebuilding the Vasantha Mantap of Sri Srikanteswaraewami temple
at Nanjangudi.**

Particulars	Per	Rate	Quantity	Cost		
1. Removing top slab and re-stacking in one side.	sft	6	676	21	-	-
2. Earthwork excavation for foundation	cyd	4	139	35	-	-
3. Surki concrete foundation for pillars	cft	4 6	452	127	-	-
4. Size stones in surki mortar	"	8	247	123	-	-
5. Burnt stone base slabs neatly dressed	sft	12	168	126	-	-
6. Cutting $\frac{1}{2}$ triangles to slab at 4 corner joints	No.	2 8	4	10	-	-
7. Removing dressing and refixing first and second layers of steps in pond.	rft	4	118	30	-	-
8. Clearing site and refilling with gravel with 2 miles lead and sundry charges.		L. S.		100	-	-
9. Repairing the existing pond.		do		100	-	-
10. Removing roots from Gopuram		omitted			-	-
1. Stone pillars neatly dressed alround	No.	42 8	12	510	-	-
2. Chistling the edges $\frac{1}{2}$ " thick as per design.	rft	4	288	72	-	-
3. White stone bases neatly dressed	each	11	12	132	-	-
4. do capitals	"	11	12	132	-	-
5. Turuvekere stone carbenor flower brackets	"	70	24	1680	-	-
6. Burnt stone covering slab nicely ~~dress~~ dressed	sft	1	274	274	-	-
7. Burnt stone slab lovey and cement plaster for top & bottom as shown in section alround.	"	12	288	216	-	-
8. Burnt stone beams neatly dressed alround.	cft	4	80	320	-	-
9. Cutting groves at cornice for beams	each	4	4	16	-	-
10. Burnt brick in mortar	cft	6	598	224	-	-
1. Chunam plaster moulding including scaffolding.		omitted			-	-
1(a) Burnt stone covering slab 1" thick neatly dressed at bottom and Kamalams carved out of them	sft	5	126	630	-	-
2. Chunam cornice work	rft	1	84	84	-	-
3. do plastering	sqr	4	3.61	14	-	-
4. Metal concrete for roof over covering slab.	cft	4	200	50	-	-
5. Ornamental work to Gopuram	sft	5	226	1130	-	-
6. Preparing centre Vighram big.	each	30	4	120	-	-
7. do small	"	20	8	160	-	-
8. Masonry finials over Gopuram	cft	3	40	120	-	-
9. R.S. girders including railway freight	cwt	26 14	33	887	-	-
10(a) Hoisting R.S. girders fixing in position & painting &c. complete	"	4	33	132	-	-
11. Ornamental plastering to parapets.	rft	2	32	64	-	-
1. Double iron 3 x 3 x $\frac{1}{4}$ " thick at the junction of R.S. girder with cross one including revetting &c. Complete		L. S.		50	-	-
2. Other unforeseen items		L. S.		100	-	-
Estimate for retaining wall between pillars as per separate one attached				405	-	-
Total				8194	-	-

Sanctioned for Rs. Contingencies only for the amount to be worked out after deducting the amount already spent.

No. dated WD 0611 GPR 250-38 22
Establishment at 10% ...
Tools and plant at $\frac{1}{2}$ % ...
Scaffolding charges at 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % ...

Total

179 - -
in Gross Pros. 8373 - -
837 - -
42 - -
208 - -
Grand Total 9460 - -

Copy of Estimate for the Vasantha Mantap of Sri Srikanteswaraewami temple at Nanjangudi.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read.--

Government orders ending with No. 15-17/Muz.719-18-2 dated the 3rd July 1919 sanctioning a 3rd revised estimate for Rs.6672/- for the construction of an ornamental Vasanta Mantap in the compound of the Sri Srikanteswaraswami temple at Nanjangud.

2. Letter No.C.831 of 1923-24 dated the 14th December 1925 from the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore submitting a copy of letter No. C.125 dated the 4th November 1925, together with its enclosures from the Chief Engineer of Mysore forwarding duly scrutinized, a re-revised estimate for Rs. 9460/- in respect of the above work; and recommending for reasons stated, that the estimate may be sanctioned for Rs. 8581/- the establishment, tools and plant charges amounting to Rs.879/- being waived, as a portion for the estimated cost of construction has been met from the State Funds and as the work is also of a special nature, the excess of Rs. 1909 over the previous estimate being met from the funds at the credit of the institution.

Order No. 927-9 / Muz. 154-25-2--

Dated, Bangalore, the 26 January 1926.

It is reported by the Muzrai Commissioner that while the work was in progress according to the last sanctioned estimate, the Executive Engineer sent up in August 1923 a further revised estimate for Rs. 9722/- and that the temple Dharmadarsis to whom it was referred having been of opinion that it could not be accepted on the ground that temple funds did not admit of this heavy expenditure, the work was for the time suspended.

2. In view, however, of the fact that an outlay of Rs.4606-7-9 had already been incurred on the work, the Dharmadarsis are stated to have since agreed to the execution of the work, as per further revised estimate prepared by the Public Works Department and that the Huzur Secretary to His Highness is also stated to have signified

his consent to the work being completed as per revised estimate.

3. In the circumstances, Government are pleased to sanction the revised estimate for Rs. 8581/- the establishment, tools and plant charges amounting to Rs. 879/- being waived for reasons explained in the preamble and the excess of Rs. 1909/- over the previous estimate being met from the funds at the credit of the temple.

4. It is very unsatisfactory that this work, the estimate for which was first sanctioned in 1913 is still dragging on. It is hoped that there will be no further revision of the estimate and that the work in accordance with the revised estimate now sanctioned will be completed before the end of the current year. A quarterly Report of the progress of the work should be obtained by the Chief Engineer and sent up with his remarks for the information of Government till the work is completed.

5. The estimate for Rs. 6672/- is cancelled.

Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department.

To

The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore (with the sanctioned
estimate and other enclosures)
The Chief Engineer of Mysore, Bangalore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore (with a copy
of abstract estimate)